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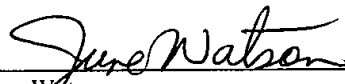
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Sir:

A two (2) month extension of time, to and including December 29, 2003, is requested for response to the Patent Office Communication of July 29, 2003.

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